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 For : CONNECTING ELEMENT, METHOD FOR BUS
 COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN A CONTROL UNIT FOR
 ACTIVATING PERSONAL PROTECTIVE MEANS AS
 MASTER AND AT LEAST ONE CONNECTING ELEMENT
 FOR WEIGHT MEASUREMENT IN A SEAT AS SLAVE, AND
 BUS SYSTEM
 Art Unit : 2111
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 11, 2007 (the three-month response date for which is December 11, 2007), please consider the above-identified application based on the following.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendment to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper and include five (5) Replacement sheets of drawings.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.